



the NOW now  
mini festival.

3 nights of  
free jazz and spontaneous music,

sunday, monday, tuesday  
april 27, 28, 29, 2003

mike pride (NYC)  
jim denley  
jeff henderson (NZ)  
aaron ali shaikh (NYC)

kentaro saito (JAPAN)  
lyndsay vickary (perth)

byrne klay (NYC)

clare cooper

adam sussman

dave goodman

matt ottignon

alon ilsar

darren moore (MELB)

matt earl

clayton thomas

reuben derrick

starts at 7:30

space 3 gallery

151 regent street, chippendale  
cnr cleveland street

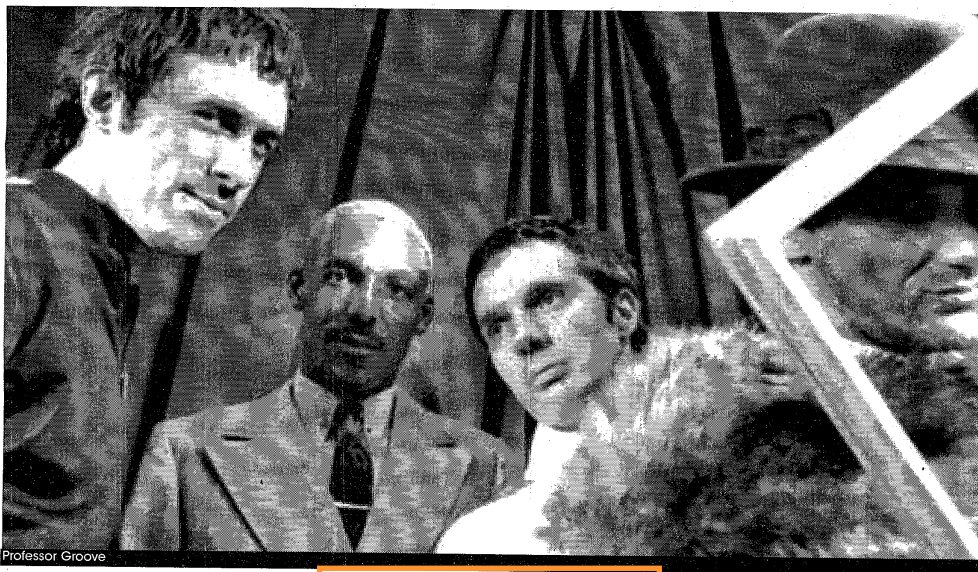
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7 or 10 dollars  
donation

Head down to the **Side-On Café** tomorrow night to listen to **Smeagol's Workshop**, who will be on stage from 8.30pm. On Friday night, between 9pm and 12.30pm, **SIMA** presents **The Space Cadets**. Led by veteran drummer, **John Pochée**, this band features a vibrant combination of established players and young talent in **Mathew Ottignon** (saxophone), **Warwick Alder** (trumpet), **Aron Ottignon** (piano) and **Cameron Undy** (bass), performing original music as well as some less well-known pieces from the jazz repertoire. On Saturday night, **Theaktet**, featuring **David Theak** (tenor saxophone), **James Muller** (guitar), **Phil Stack** (bass) and **Craig Simon** (drums), will give its first Side-On performance since David Theak returned to Australia in February. The cover charge for each night is \$13/\$9 (SIMA members).

If you haven't been down to a **Jazzgroove Association** gig at the Excelsior Hotel, Surry Hills, then do so tonight, where, at 9pm, you will hear **Wild Nature Crank**, which features New Zealand's **Jeff Henderson** (Baritone Saxophone), New York's **Aaron Ali Sheik** (Baritone Saxophone) and **Mike Pride** (drums) and **Clayton Thomas** (Double Bass). **The Very Interactive Band**, starring **Phil Slater** (trumpet), **Roger Manins** (saxophone), **Carl Dewhurst** (guitar) and **Toby Hall** (drums) will play at 10.30pm. **Mosaic** will perform next week, followed by the **Nick Bowd Quartet**, who will be launching its CD "Arrival", released on Jazzgroove Records, an independent label dedicated to the recording and promotion of high quality, original, improvised music.

**Dynamite Club** is a New York band, founded in 2001 by guitarist **Kentaro Saito** and avant-garde drummer **Mike Pride**, and, having recently released its debut CD and having performed at this year's Block Island Music Festival in Rhode Island, has come to Sydney for just two shows. This Thursday, catch their powerful mix of avant-garde, punk, rock, and kung-fu fighting at the **Hopetoun Hotel** with



Professor Groove

**BUL GO GI.** The **Aaron Thomas Band** and **DJ Tufatron**. On Friday April 25th, **Dynamite Club** will play **The Lanfranchis Discotheque**, 2/144 Cleveland St, Chippendale, supported by **Lucas Abela** and **The Dirty Needles**, featuring **Robbie Avanaim**, **Clayton Thomas** and **Jeff Henderson**. Visit [www.dynamiteclub.com](http://www.dynamiteclub.com).

Members of the **Dynamite Club** will perform also at a special two night festival which will feature both local and international musicians, and will be happening early next week at the **Space Three Gallery**, 151 Regent St, Chippendale, as part of the 'If you like improvised music, we like you' series. On

Monday, April 28th, listen to **Jeff Henderson** (NZ), **Mike Pride** (NYC), **Kentaro Saito** (Japan), **Lyndsay Vickery** (Perth), **Darren Moore** (Melb) and others. On Tuesday, April 29th, catch **HEDKIKR**, featuring **Lyndsay Vickery** (reeds) and **Darren Moore** (percussion), a multi-media performance from Perth and the **Neill Duncan Project**. These should be two vibrant concerts of original improvised material, performed in a space where artists can be aware that their work will reach the ears of open and dedicated listeners. The music on both nights commences at 8pm, and the cover charge is \$7.

If you are looking for some live groove to break up your working week, then hit **The Opera Bar**. Tonight, get your fill of Nu-jazz and breakbeat soul from **MR PC**, led by saxophonist **Paul Chenard**. Tomorrow night **Double Yum Funk Club** is in the house, with its inventive mix of latin, house, funk and jazz creating a groove out of a combination of DJ selections from **DJ James Fletcher**, live saxophone played by **Murray Jackson** and percussion from **Carlos Mora**. On Thursday, listen to bassist **Tim Cunick's** trio **Explicitly**. On Anzac Day, **Sloppy Joe** returns to its regular Friday slot. On April 26th, the Saturday afternoon

## side-on café

SIMA presents jazz and improvised music

WED 23 **SMEAGOL'S WORKSHOP**

THU 24 **latin dance**  
**BARRIO SALSA**

FRI 25 **sima presents**  
**THE SPACE CADETS**

John Pochée, Mathew Ottignon, Warwick Alder, Aron Ottignon, Cameron Undy



SAT 26 **sima presents**  
**THEAK-TET**

David Theak, James Muller, Phil Stack, Craig Simon

COMING SOON  
02. MIKE NOCK TRIO  
03. BERNIE MCGANN QUARTET  
10. ADAM SIMMONS (MELB)

PERFORMANCES WEDS/THURS 8.30-12.00PM, FRI/SAT 9PM-12.30AM

side-on café, 83 PARRAMATTA RD, ANNANDALE

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+guests

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**RON PHILPOTT** (bass) +  
**JOHN POCHÉE** (drums)

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THURSDAY 1ST MAY  
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THURSDAY

24 April at 7pm  
**DOM HALPIN & the SUSPECTS**

FRIDAY

25 April at 7pm  
**BOB HENDERSON BAND**

SATURDAY

26 April at 7pm  
**Light & Easy with RENEE STANLEY**

SUNDAY

27 April at 12pm  
**GEORGE WASHINGMACHINE**

Coming Up

**Di Bird's Red Hot & Blue**  
**Rachael Gaudry Trio**



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